

# The Democrat.

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Doniphan, No. 30. Mutual, No. 80.

## Local and Personal News.

Harry Cude is here on a visit to his parents this week.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Forest Blunk, on Monday, a boy.

Jack Smelser is here from Gatewood this week visiting relatives.

Will Stone returned from Cape Girardeau, the latter part of last week.

Lee Ponder came up from Kennett, Ark. the latter part of last week.

Kit Shemwell was at Pocatong last week Thursday and Friday, on business.

If you want to borrow money on long time and easy payments see Geo. D. Sloan.

W. H. Miskell of R. 1 was in town the first of the week with a load of peaches.

Miss Morgan Hoskinson has accepted a position with J. W. Cude, clerking in the store.

Rev. V. A. Bell is here this week from Arkansas where he is engaged in pearl fishing.

Mrs. Dave Hecht and little daughter, are home from the Bluff where they were visiting.

Judge Harper, wife and daughter, Miss Vita, were in town the first of the week shopping.

Harve Daubs of Harris township was here the latter part of last week attending to business matters.

Mrs. Will Harrington, of Corning, Ark., was here on a visit to her mother, Mrs. Teeters, last week.

Mrs. Perry Evans and children spent Sunday at the Bluff visiting Mr. Evans, who has a run out of that place.

Everett Einnard came in the first of the week from Huxie, Ark. where he is employed by the J. M. Railroad.

Mrs. Marvin Robinson and children are home from Springfield, where they have been on a visit to her parents.

George D. Sloan has money to loan on improved farms on reasonable terms. See him before placing your loan.

J. P. Shemwell, of Pittman father of Kit Shemwell of this city, was here the first of the week attending business matters.

Messrs. McArthur, Fagin, Carter and Underwood, all from over in Oregon county, were here yesterday trading and after goods.

W. A. Wilmore and wife, the second hand store man, left last Wednesday for points in Indiana where they will visit for several weeks.

Mrs. Bessie Manis and children came down Saturday from their home at West Eminence, on a visit to her sister, Mrs. A. Y. Moore of this city.

Richard Brook's and family, returned to their home in Louisiana the first of the week, after spending several days here visiting friends and relatives.

The school officers convention is being held today and tomorrow. There being two days in which the officers of the different boards are required to meet.

Fisher Patterson, of the western part of Texas, came in last Friday, to spend a few weeks visiting friends and relatives. He is a son of the late Pitt Patterson, and is well known here.

Elmer Shroat was at Pocatong last week and bought up in Randolph county, and shipped from Pocatong station seven carloads of sheep. He sold two car-loads of the lot for breeding purposes.

Excavation for the foundation trenches and basement of the new high school building is progressing fine though it is requiring considerable blasting as rock was struck just under the surface on most of the site.

Bud Stone, Uncle Bill Lackey and Will Mabrey were up the river the first of the week. This was Uncle Bill's first trip up the creek on a fishing or pleasure trip. They had a very nice time and caught several fish.

The ball club left Monday last for Walnut Ridge, Arkansas, to play three games of ball. In Monday's game the Walnut Ridge club won but in the game Tuesday and Wednesday the Doniphan club won. They came to Knobel yesterday and are to play three games there.

The wheat crop of the county is turning out better than was at first expected, now that threshing the crop has commenced. While the yield is good, the season considered, the grain is plump, dry and clean. In fact, the local millers say they never saw a better lot of new grain in this county than is coming in now.

Cal Myatt was here this week from his home at Ponder.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Helvey, Tuesday the 22 inst., a girl.

W. W. Martin was at Arcadia, Mo., the first of the week on business.

K. K. Shemwell and wife were at Naylor the latter part of last week.

Will Bethel of lower Harris township was in town the latter part of the week.

Sheriff Williams made a business trip to Walnut Ridge Monday returning Tuesday.

Deputy Sheriff Jim Cotton was up the river the first of the week on a business trip.

Col. W. H. Righter is on the puny list this week, the result of the very warm weather.

C. R. James, of near Oxy, was here the latter part of last week attending to business matters.

Uncle Jim Adams, pioneer merchant of Oxy, was here the latter part of last week on business.

Tom Cardwell and wife returned the latter part of last week from their visit to Texas and other points.

Low Hicks is at Puxico this week with his steam merry-go-round, where they are having a big picnic.

Will Fortner came over the first of the week from Charleston where he is located and moved his family there.

Money to loan on improved farms in sums of \$200 and up; five years' time. Lige Smelser, Doniphan, Mo. 341f.

Corn is needing rain badly now as the extreme hot and dry weather has hurt it, as it is now in a critical stage, in tassel and silk.

G. W. Smith, of east of town about three miles, was in town Wednesday of this week. While here he made this office a pleasant call.

Henry Freeman, came in Sunday evening from Oklahoma where he went last fall to teach school. He will return there this coming fall to teach.

## Drowned in Elevenpoints River.

Noah Palmer, a son of Ben Palmer of Burr, was drowned in Elevenpoints river last Thursday afternoon while swimming. He and his brother left the saw mill, that their father is running there and went to the river to go swimming and the young man got into deep water and being unable to swim, drowned before he could be helped out.

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President Robbins will attend the Live Wire Stenotype convention, at Indianapolis Indiana, at the expense of the Stenotype company, the 28 and 29th of this month in recognition of the marvelously successful work done by this institution. A very large number of pupils will enter this school on, or before the first of August, 1913. Those paying for a six-month scholarship by the first day of August 1913, receive August 1913 free; those paying for a twelve-month course by August 1st, 1913 get August of 1913 free, also August of 1914 free. Take advantage of this liberal offer. If you can't be here August 1st, send twenty-five dollars to apply on a six or twelve-month scholarship, by the first day of August, and you'll secure the privilege. Address, C. W. Robbins, Sedalia, Mo.

## Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

## Didn't Have a License.

Taylor Griffin, a young man living up the river a few miles, was in town last Monday and went before Prosecutor Ferguson and pleaded guilty to a charge of assaulting an officer, and paid a fine and costs amounting to a little over \$15.00.

Hunting along the river one afternoon last week and a couple of boat loads of outers, who came from over Williams-ville way, and who had been fishing on the upper reaches of the river for a few days, came down and when about at the spring at the old Bay Mills, pulled in stumped for a short time.

Griffin came to them and they engaged in talking.

One of the river party was John White, son of Uncle Charley White, of this place, John living in Catts county. He is deputy state game warden, and at first did not take much part in the conversation nor pay much attention to it. He finally asked Griffin if he had a hunters license and the reply was that he had, and on being asked what the number was said he didn't have one and didn't need one as his gun was his license. The parties joshed each other for awhile and White asked what game he had in his bag and showed his badge and said he was going to inspect the bag to see if he had any game that he should not have killed. Griffin said he shouldn't do it and threw his gun on him and told him to stand back and not come to him, and started to leave.

White followed and Griffin struck at him with the barrel of the gun and White drew a pistol and, as they were together by that time, hit him a lick along side of the head which knocked him down. As he fell he dropped his gun and White stooped down and picked it up. Griffin jumped up and took to the tall timber as hard as he could go, dodging behind trees, being pretty badly scared. White did not know what to do with the gun but brought it on down here and turned it over to prosecutor Ferguson. They didn't know who the gun belonged to until Saturday, when one of the Price boys came in and said the gun was his, and he had loaned it to Griffin to go hunting. Griffin was then notified to come in and he was permitted to plead to an information for assaulting an officer, and on promise to take out a hunting license, and on payment of the fine and costs on the first charge, the matter was then dropped. The least fine that can be assessed against a person apprehended for hunting without a license, is \$25.00 and costs and it usually costs the defendant in a case of this kind about \$50.

## State Fair Premium Lists.

The county clerk has just received a number of copies of the Missouri State Fair premium list for 1913. These are for free distribution in the county and any one may secure them by calling at the county clerk's office, or writing the secretary of the Missouri State Fair, Sedalia.

The premium list shows increase in premiums over previous years which means that the State Fair is growing. One especially noticeable thing in this year's premium list, on page 8, is the establishment of a Boy's State Fair School. This new feature promises to be one of great value to every part of the state, as one boy from each county will be entertained by the State Fair and will get one week of instruction and practical training in the most up-to-date methods of farming and stock raising. Many other features have been added. The dates for the State Fair this year are September 27 to October 3.

## ST. LOUIS LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Special report to Ripley County Democrat  
National Stock Yards, Ill., July 22, '13.  
—Cattle receipts 8000. Today's trade was very active at prices fully steady with yesterday or with last week's close. This applies to all classes of killers, no exception being made. Top steers \$8.80 heifers \$8.35. Prospects look fair for the balance of the week.  
Hog receipts 10,500. Market 10c lower; top \$9.50.  
Sheep receipts 9500. Today's trade active at a 25c decline compared with yesterday though present values are \$1.10 per cwt lower on lambs compared with last week's good time. Sheep fully 55c lower than a week ago. We sold a car of choice natives without a sort at \$7.15, the top. Bulk of the good lambs brought \$6.75 to \$7.10; fair to good \$6 to \$6.75; culls to fair kinds \$4 to \$5.50. Fat sheep \$4. Bucks \$3 to \$3.25.  
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Outing parties are still numerous on the river this week.

## Again in Canada.

Uncle Bill Lackey received a postal card from his son Dewitt one day the past week, from Lower Fort Garry, Province of Manitoba, Canada. Dewitt has been a conductor on the dining car service of the Northern Pacific railroad for some years, and made good, and was recently given the position as manager of the Motor Club, at Manitoba, Canada. Lower Fort Garry is an interesting place and the card contained some history about it that is interesting. We give it following:

Well, I'm in Canada again, and doing well. My wife and I work in a club; \$140.00 both of us a month. Fort Garry is an old, historic place, built in 1832, 6 acres enclosed by a stone wall with holes in it to shoot Indians. Erected by and still owned by the Hudson Bay Co. Buildings of stone with walls three feet thick. Barracks now used as a club house and old store room and trading post. An old sun dial put in by Sir John Franklin, the explorer; an old powder house with copper door. We use for an ice house a stone jail and fur house with the grease and soot still caked on the floor, and many other relics, including bake house with oven built in walls. Old keys and locks on doors, keys as large as a hatchet, 100 years old. My wife has a string of beads, the first one that ever came over into Canada by Hudson Bay Co. Red river flows in front. Have been pretty busy, not so bad now, I will write soon. Send me some copies of the Ripley County Democrat.

## A vacation on The Atlantic Coast.

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## M. P. I. M.

Much interest is being manifested by the farmers and general public in the demonstration farms being installed at the suggestion of President B. P. Bush, over the lines of the Missouri Pacific-Iron Mountain to aid the farmers in getting the best possible results from the land. The demonstration farm at Conway, Ark., which was in very poor condition when the agricultural department of the railroad took it in charge, is making a most impressive showing. Spring oats sown there have been exceptionally fine. The demonstration farm of the railroad company at Dermott, Ark., contains the best crop of corn in that section, and although corn on neighboring farms suffered from drouth, the crop on the demonstration farm shows no damage, owing to proper preparation of the seed bed. Oats at the demonstration farm at Hope, Ark., thrashed out an average of 70 bushels to the acre. Various crops which have been planted on the farm at Arcadia, Mo., are being watched with interest by resident farmers and others. Mr. L. A. Markham, Commissioner of Agriculture of the Iron Mountain portion of the system, says that practically his entire territory has been visited by good rains during the past ten days and that conditions are much improved. Corn that was properly cultivated during the dry period did not suffer any from drouth, but some of the other did. All other crops are in excellent condition, and he reports that a vast improvement is visible among farmers in cultivating so as to conserve soil moisture.

On Monday, July 14, the Missouri Pacific Iron Mountain loaded 3,580 cars with freight on its tracks, this being the largest record of a single day's local loading ever made by the company in the month of July. The nearest approach was made on July 29, of last year when 3,319 cars were loaded, just 261 cars short of the record made last Monday. The day has never been equaled during any of the summer months, June, July or August, in the history of the road. It has never been exceeded at any period except on five days; December 6, 1911, with a local loading of 3,598 cars; September 9, 1912 with 3,599; September 23, 1912, with 3,605; October 21, 1912, with 3,627, and January 2, 1913 with 4002 cars. The last named date also includes the January 1st figures.

If you are in need of money see Geo. D. Sloan for terms and time before borrowing. Office in court house with probate Judge.

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  2. Advanced Professional Courses are offered leading to the Normal Diploma, a life state certificate.
  3. Elementary Professional Courses are offered leading to the Elementary Professional Certificate, a limited state certificate.
  4. A course for Rural School Teachers is offered, upon the completion of which the State Superintendent will grant students a limited state certificate.
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